

Amendments to the Specification

The following refers to the paragraph numbering used in the application as *filed*.

Please replace paragraph [0029] with the following replacement paragraph:

[0029] Each client 300 has a client version manager 302, and a meta-data cache 304 for storing information about the versioned file structure 20 shown in Figure [[8]] 2. Each client 300 has a sandbox 306 for storing local working copies of files from a corresponding project on the central server 100. If a client is working with more than one project then they may have more than one sandbox 306. The files in the sandbox 306 are (possibly modified) particular versions of files from the repository 102. The client preferably does not have a local bulk data cache for the file contents, since the client 300 is connected to the proxy server 200 through local area network 14. The client 300 can obtain data from the proxy server 200 as necessary since the local area network 14 is usually fast and reliable. Some files will also already be stored in the sandbox 306.

Please replace paragraph [0033] with the following replacement paragraph:

[0033] Referring therefore to Figure 3, the process of the client 300 requesting a version is shown generally by the numeral 400. The client first requests at step 402 the version of interest through the sandbox 306. At step 404, the client version manager 302 requests the version from the proxy server. At step 406, the proxy server checks the proxy cache [[304]] 202 for the version of interest. If the version is found at step 408, then the version is passed to the client at step [[420]] 419. If the version is not found, then at step 410 the proxy server requests the version from the central server. The central server first checks the central server cache for the file at step 412. If the file is found, then the version is returned to the proxy server at step 414. The proxy server updates its cache 202 with the version of the file at step [[420]] 418, and sends the version to the client at step [[422]] 419. If the file is not found, then the central server requests the version from the repository 102 at step 416. The central sever cache is populated with the version at step 417. The version is then placed in the proxy server cache at step 418 and provided to the client at step 419.